

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ARTEMIO MONFEDA-TOVAR,

Defendant.

Case No. MJ25-314

DETENTION ORDER

Defendant Artemio Monfeda-Tovar is charged with alien in possession of a firearm, 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(5); and alien in possession of ammunition, 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(5). The Court held a detention hearing on May 27, 2025, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f)(1), and based upon the reasons for detention stated in the record and as hereafter set forth below, finds:

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

1. The government is entitled to a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f)(1), as Mr. Monfeda-Tovar is charged with an offense that involves use of a weapon.
2. Mr. Monfeda-Tovar stipulated to detention.
3. Mr. Monfeda-Tovar was not interviewed by Pretrial Services. Therefore, there is

1 limited information available about him.

2 4. Mr. Monfeda-Tovar poses a risk of nonappearance due to a history of failure to  
3 appear. Mr. Monfeda-Tovar poses a risk of danger due to the nature of the instant  
4 offense and his criminal history.

5 5. Based on these findings, and for the reasons stated on the record, there does not  
6 appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will reasonably  
7 assure Mr. Monfeda-Tovar's appearance at future court hearings while addressing  
8 the danger to other persons or the community.

9 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

10 (1) Mr. Monfeda-Tovar shall be detained pending trial, and committed to the custody  
11 of the Attorney General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the  
12 extent practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in  
13 custody pending appeal;

14 (2) Mr. Monfeda-Tovar shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private  
15 consultation with counsel;

16 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the  
17 government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which Mr.  
18 Monfeda-Tovar is confined shall deliver Mr. Monfeda-Tovar to a United States  
19 Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a court proceeding;  
20 and

21 (4) The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to  
22 counsel for Mr. Monfeda-Tovar, to the United States Marshal, and to the United  
23 States Pretrial Services Officer.

1 Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

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5 United States Magistrate Judge  
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